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FOR THE

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A. J. FORTNAM.

Heage Urban District Council.

REPORT

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For the Year 1925.

To the Chairman & Gentlmen of the Council.

Gentlemen,

I have the pleasure to submit to you my Annual Report for the year 1925 which is the sixth I have placed before you.

In accordance with the requirements of the Ministry of Health this takes the form of a survey report.

During the year 1924 we had an Enquiry held by an Official from the Ministry of Health, followed by one this year by the Derbyshire County Council. This enquiry was held due to representations made to the County Council by certain ratepayers of Ambergate who wished that the Ambergate portion of the District should be taken away from Heage and joined on to some other Parish or Council. The enquiry was held at the Public Hall, Belper, in July, and after several weeks a report was issued by the Court of Enquiry stating that they would advise the whole of the Urban District of Heage to be amalgamated with the Rural District of Belper.

As I said in a former report the Sanitary conditions of Heage may in parts be a little primative, but I must say they compare most favourably with similar conditions in other areas, and are far better than some I have seen roundabout.

The Birth Rate for Heage is always above the average, and the Death Rate much below, and in 1924 had the lowest Death Rate of any Urban or Rural District in the County of Derby, and I am pleased to say that again this year we have the lowest Death Rate, namely, 7·56, so we must consider that this area should rank as a "Health Resort." Important recommendations I should like to suggest are :—

1. The institution of Bye Laws relating to the use of the Humane Killer for the slaughter of animals.

2. The more general provision of Galvanized Zinc Ash Bins to every house.

3. More conversions to the Water Carriage system.

4. Sewering operations taking place at Saw Mills, Ridgeway, Slack Lane, Old Road, and Ripley Road

5. A better Water Supply for Ambergate, Toadmoor, and Buckland Hollow.

6. Overhauling and more attention paid to the Outfall Works at Nether Heage and Ambergate.

7. The Roads of the district made fit for vehicular traffic.

I should like to thank Mr. Fortnam, the Sanitary Inspector, for his work during the year.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

RICHARD C. ALLEN,

Medical Officer of Health.

Belper,

March, 1926.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Area of the District	...	2367 Acres
Rateable Value	...	£13,623 3s. 8d.
General District Rate for the Year	...	3/8 in the £
Sum represented by a Penny Rate	...	£48

EXTRACTS FROM VITAL STATISTICS OF THE YEAR.

Population, 1921	...	3,735
Estimated Population, 1926	...	4,231
No. of Inhabited Houses	...	853
No. of Families or separate occupiers	...	898
No. of New Houses erected	...	13

Chief occupations of inhabitants—Coal Mining & Agriculture.

Number of Births registered—Males, 40; Females, 39; Total, 79

Number of Illegitimate— ,, 1; ,, 2; ,, 3

Birth Rate, R.G.	...	19·14

Number of Deaths—15 Males; 17 Females; Total, 32.

Death Rate—7·56 per 1,000 of population.

Number of Women dying in consequence of Childbirth—None.

Deaths from Measles (all ages)	...	0
,, Whooping Cough (all ages)	...	0
,, Diarrhœa (under 2 years)	...	0
,, Scarlet Fever	...	0
,, Diphtheria	...	0

Deaths of Infants under 1 year—2: 1 Male; 1 Female.

Infantile Mortality per 1,000 Births	...	24·6
Phthisis Death Rate	...	·94
Respiratory Death Rate	...	·94
Zymotic Causes	...	0

SOCIAL & GEOLOGICAL CONDITIONS.

The chief occupations of the District are Mining, Quarrying, Hosiery, and Cotton Workers.

The District is bounded on the West by the River Derwent, and on the North by the River Amber. On the South is the Urban District of Belper; on the East the Urban District of Ripley.

The District is divided down its centre by a valley running North and then turning North-west. From the valley the land rises from below the 300 contour to over 500 feet on the West side, and to over 400 feet on the East side. The brook in this valley empties into the Amber at Ridgeway. The extreme South of the District drains into a stream which passes through Belper. The extreme North drains direct into the River Amber, and the West part of the District along the Derby and Matlock Road drains into the Derwent.

GEOLOGY. The area is on the Coal and Gritstone measures.

TUBERCULOSIS.

The Death Rate for this Disease for the year is 0·94, as compared with 0·73 in 1924, and 0·51 in 1923. It will be seen from the above figures that the Death Rate has gone higher each year. The number of cases of all forms of this disease was 9 in number, as compared with 7 in 1924, 9 in 1923, 7 in 1922, and 11 in 1921.

VENEREAL DISEASES.

Special Treatment for this disease is provided at a Clinic held at the Derbyshire Royal Infirmary, where Afternoon and Evening Sessions are arranged for both Males and Females.

SMALL POX.

No case has been reported to me during the year: this I think is most satisfactory when we take into consideration that so many of the population go to work in Districts where the Disease has been prevalent.

SCARLET FEVER.

Nine cases were reported to me during the year, as against 29 in 1924, 1 in 1923, 0 in 1922, and 2 in 1921. Most of the cases were mild in character, and no Deaths took place from this Disease.

ERYSIPELAS.

There were no cases reported to me during the year 1925, as compared with 2 in 1924, 1 in 1923, none in 1922, and none in 1921.

DIPHTHERIA.

Five cases came under my notice during 1925, as against none in 1924, 1 in 1923, 2 in 1922, and 4 in 1921. These were mild in character, and were soon well again.

ENTERIC FEVER.

There has not been a single case of Enteric Fever during the last five years, which I am pleased to state is highly satisfactory.

SCHOOLS.

There are four Elementary Schools in the District: these have been visited on several occasions, and I am pleased to report are fairly satisfactorily clean, but one thing that I should appreciate more than anything else is that the principles of Hygiene should be practically demonstrated in all Schools from all points daily instead of once a year, in order to inculcate into the minds of the young the advantages to be gained by practicing the vital points of Hygiene.

LODGING HOUSES.

There are none in the District.

CELLAR DWELLINGS.

None in the District.

FACTORIES & WORKSHOPS.

These have been visited during the year, and I am pleased to report that there have not been any complaints as to their Sanitary conditions.

FOODS.

There are 2 Bakehouses in the District, to which 5 inspections were made during the year, and everything was found to be satisfactory from a Sanitary standpoint.

There are five Slaughter Houses in the District, to which 63 Inspections have been made. The Regulations that came into force on April 1st, 1925, have and are being observed, and are working smoothly.

The quality of the Meat has been good and there has not been any Seizures or Surrenders during the year.

The Farmsteads and Cow byres of the District have been periodically visited during the year, and many improvements have taken place, and in this district we have a few of the best and well kept Cow byres in the County. New Cow Sheds have during the last few years been erected at Saw Mills and Knob Farm; and during the last year great improvements have taken place at the Bent Farm.

The Farmers should see that their Milking Utensils are kept clean, and also that the Carts which purvey the Milk around the district are kept clean, as on occasions I have had to draw the attention of Milkmen to lack of cleanliness in the latter direction.

RIVERS AND STREAMS.

In this district there is the River Derwent and its tributary the Amber. A brook runs from the Heage Norton Colliery past the Nether Heage Outfall Works and into the Amber: this brook is in a very bad state, as it is a very dark yellow in colour due to a ferruginous deposit from the Colliery Workings, and it also has the effluent from the Outfall Works flowing into it.

SEWERS AND SEWERAGE.

In my former reports I have brought to your notice the great need of the following areas being sewered:—Saw Mills, Ridgeway, Slack Lane, Old Road, and Ripley Road, but nothing has been done in the matter The main road leading from Heage to Ripley is a disgrace to any Authority, for there you see the slops thrown direct on to the roadside, and in the summer weather the stench from it is abominable; whilst in my former reports I have told you that the brook course running down Slack Lane is nothing more than an open sewer. The condition of the Sewage Works at Nether Heage and Ambergate is far from perfect, in fact the former, I should say, gets no attention at all, and I in former reports stated that the effluent entered the Brook in practically the same state as when it entered the Outfall Works, with the exception that it is slightly filtered. Both these works require remodelling and modernising, and I have advised you to get an expert to advise you as to the best method. Major Moss Flower came and looked over the works, but you do not seem to have gone any further with him or to have heeded any of his suggestions.

In my former reports I have alluded to the insanitary state of the Black Horse Area, and you have installed a small Sewage Plant to deal with this and part of Booth Gate: this plant was installed during this year and is now working, but I cannot say much for it now, except that it is "there"—it is neither of much use or ornamental.

SCAVENGING.

I am pleased to report that there has not been so many complaints during the year, under this heading, as in former years, but still there is room for improvements Open Ashpits should be discontinued, not only because they are a menance to Health, but also they are more expensive to empty than Galvanized Sanitary Dustbins. I would strongly recommend the Council to make strong representations to Owners of Property to provide each house with a Galvanized Sanitary Dustbin.

Statement below shews the number of Bins that have been provided during the last five years ·

1921	-	15
1922	-	12
1923	-	20
1924	-	75
1925	-	30
Total	-	152

SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES.

A great amount of work has been done under this heading, but still there is an enormous amount of work to be accomplished before one can say that the district is in a fair state of Sanitary condition, and I am hopeful that the Council will do all in their power to help their Officials to speed on this important work.

WATER SUPPLY.

Parts of the district are fairly well supplied with water which is purchased from the Belper Urban District Council. The "Toadmoor District" is still without an efficient supply of water. It is within my knowledge that you have caused a Main to be laid to deal with the shortage in this District If the fault is that there is not a sufficient quantity of water to supply the New Main, strong representation should be made without any delay to the adjoining Authority supplying the water, asking them to speed up the work, and so put an end to the serious state of affairs that has gone on longer than I care to mention.

In the meantime the Valve at the lower part of Toadmoor should be closed at certain times of the day, so that the Residents at the higher points would have water a little oftener than they have been doing for a considerable time.

SUMMARY OF NURSING ARRANGEMENTS, HOSPITALS, and other INSTITUTIONS available in the DISTRICT.

Professional Nursing in the Home - -	Nil
Midwives - -	3 Private in the District
Clinics & Treatment Centres -	School Clinics at Ripley & Belper
Tuberculosis Clinic - -	Derby County Offices

The District is well provided with Midwives, but a District Nurse is badly needed, as I have reported on former occasions, as there are many cases of illness and accidents which require a skilled Nurse, and I hope that before another year passes we shall see one installed in the District.

HOSPITALS provided or subsidised by the Local Authority or by the County Council.

Tuberculosis	Derbyshire County Council Hospital at Walton
Maternity	Ripley Maternity Home
Fever	Belper & District Joint Isolation Hospital (50 beds)
Small Pox	as above (12 beds)

Ambulance facilities for Infectious Cases are supplied by the Joint Isolation Committee; for Non-Infectious Cases and Accidents there is no Conveyance available.

LABORATORY WORK.

Pathological and Bacteriological Examinations are made free by the Derbyshire County Council.

BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS.

	Positive.	Negative.	Total.
Enteric Fever	—	—	—
Diphtheria	6	16	22
Phthisis	3	4	7
Miscellaneous	—	—	—
	9	20	29

SANITARY ADMINISTRATION.

See Sanitary Inspector's Annual Report.

PUBLIC HEALTH STAFF

Medical Officer of Health	Part time
Sanitary Inspector	Part time
Health Visitors	supplied by Derbyshire County Council

TABLE X.—**Birth-rate, Death-rate, and Analysis of Mortality during the year 1925.**

(Provisional figures. The rates for England and Wales have been calculated on a population estimated to the middle of 1925, while those for the towns have been calculated on populations estimated to the middle of 1924. The mortality rates refer to the whole population as regards England and Wales, but only to civilians as regards London and the groups of towns.)

—	Birth-rate per 1,000 Total Population.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 Population.									Rate per 1,000 Births.		Percentage of Total Deaths.		
		All Causes.	Enteric Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping Cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Violence.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under Two years).	Total Deaths under One year.	Causes of Death certified by Registered Medical Practitioners	Inquest Cases.	Uncertified Causes of Death.
England and Wales ...	18·3	12·2	0.01	0·00	0·13	0 03	0·15	0·07	0·32	0·47	8·4	75	92·1	6·9	1·0
105 County Boroughs and Great Towns, including London.	18·8	12·2	0·01	0·00	0·17	0·03	0·18	0·09	0·30	0 43	10·8	79	92·1	7·3	0·6
157 Smaller Towns (1921 adjusted Populations 20,000-50,000	18·3	11·2	0·01	0·00	0·15	0·02	0·14	0·06	0·31	0·38	7·6	74	93·0	5·9	1·1
London	18·0	11·7	0·01	0·00	0·08	0·02	0 19	0·11	0·23	0·46	10·6	67	91·1	8·9	0·0

DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR 1925, Classified by Age and Cause.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Deaths in whole District at subjoined Ages.									Total Deaths in Public Institutions in the District
	All Ages	Under 1 year	1 and under 2	2 and under 5	5 and under 15	15 and under 25	25 and under 45	45 and under 65	65 years and upwards	
Diphtheria - -										3
Scarlet Fever - -										2
Measles - -										
Whooping Cough - -										
Influenza - -	4							2	2	
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, &c. -	2							1	1	
Arterio—Sclerosis - -										
Pulmonary Tuberculosis -	4						2	1	1	
Other Forms of Tuberculosis-										
Cancer (Malignant Disease) -	2							1	1	
Bronchitis - -	2								2	
Pneumonia (all Forms) -	2	1							1	
Other Respiratory Diseases -										
Cirrhosis of Liver - -										
Congenital Debility, and Malformation, Premature -										
Birth - -	1	1								
Heart Disease - -	4								4	
Accidents - -	2							1	1	
Suicides - -	1							1		
Other Defined Diseases -	8		1					1	6	
Encephalitis Lethargica -										1
TOTAL -	32	2	1				2	8	19	6

INFANTILE MORTALITY.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Under 1 week.	1 to 2 weeks.	2 to 3 weeks.	3 to 4 weeks.	Total under 1 month.	1 to 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 9 months.	9 to 12 months.	Total Deaths under 1 year.
Pneumonia, all Forms -								1		1
Premature Birth - -	1				1					1
TOTAL - -	1				1			1		2

TOTAL NUMBER OF BIRTHS REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR 1925.

		BOYS.	GIRLS.	TOTAL.
January	-	2	3	5
February	-	3	4	7
March	-	2	3	5
April	-	3	5	8
May	-	2	4	6
June	-	1	1	2
July	-	—	—	—
August	-	4	2	6
September	-	9	3	12
October	-	3	5	8
November	-	8	6	14
December	-	3	3	6
TOTAL	-	40	39	79

The above are the total number of Births registered in the District. The Birth returns from the R.G., which allow for Births which took place in the District but really belong to other districts, and *visa versa*, for the total number of Births proper for the District is :—Males 43 ; Females 38.

The total number of Illegitimate Births are :—Males 1 ; Females 2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Cases notified during year 1925.

	Number of Cases notified.	*removed to Hospital.*
Tuberculosis—Pulmonary -	6	4
Tuberculosis—Other Forms -	3	0
Smallpox -	0	0
Scarlet Fever -	9	8
Diphtheria -	5	5
Enteric (Typhoid) Fever -	0	0
Puerperal Fever -	1	1
Cerebro-spinal Fever -	0	0
Erysipelas -	0	0
Ophthalmia Neonatorum -	0	0
Encephalitis Lethargica -	0	0
Other Diseases (specifying them) :—		
Pneumonia -	4	0
	28	18

ANALYSIS OF ALL CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER AGE GROUPS.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	10 to 15 years.	15 to 20 years.	20 to 35 years.	35 to 45 years.	45 to 65 years.	Total.	Removed to Hospital.
Scarlet Fever -			1			2	2	4				9	8
Diphtheria -		1					2	1	1			5	5
Tuberculosis, Pulmonary -						1		1	3		1	6	4
Tuberculosis, Other Forms -		1			1			1				3	
Puerperal -									1			1	
Pneumonia -		1				2			1			4	
TOTALS -		3	1		1	5	4	7	6		1	28	17

PREVALENCE OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES.

NUMBER OF CASES NOTIFIED MONTHLY.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Scarlet Fever - - -	1			1	3		1		1	2			9
Diphtheria - - -		1	1	1	2								5
Puerperal - - -										1			1
Pneumonia - - -			1	1						2			4
Tuberculosis—													
Pulmonary - -	1					1	2			1		1	6
Other Forms - -	1		2										3
TOTALS - -	3	1	4	3	5	1	3		1	6		1	28

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT, YEAR ENDING DEC., 1925.

GENTLEMEN,

I have pleasure in presenting my Twelfth Annual Report for the year ending December, 1925.

SECTION A—WATER.

Some improvement has been made by the laying of the two water mains—one in Ambergate and the 5″ main leading from the Heage Firs to the Isolation Hospital. There are, however, still complaints from occupiers residing on the higher level of Newbridge Road, that they have not a constant supply, particulars of which I have in my Monthly Reports brought to your notice. When the proposed scheme is carried out I think there will not be any scarcity.

There are also complaints from occupiers at Ambergate, particularly from the occupier of Rock House.

On the report of Councillors, and in my own findings, there has been considerable waste of water during the year.

I respectfully again appeal to you for some definite action re the Buckland Hollow Cottages—the only supply being from the roofs collected into a Tank on the side of the highway. The conditions there are **bad**.

SECTION B—SEWAGE & SEWAGE DISPOSAL.

HEAGE AND NETHER HEAGE.—With a view of keeping these beds as clean as possible, I have for sometime caused one of our Workmen to visit on the Sundays and every other day of the week.

As reported by Major Moss Flower, A.M. Inst. C.E., F.R.I.S., etc., Chartered Civil Engineer, these works are greatly in need of attention. As a result of his report, I understood he received your instruction to prepare a scheme, but for some reason you decided to hold up, and since have arranged to do certain things with a view of improvement. At the moment, although the contract which is approximately £130 has been signed, the work is not commenced.

I still experience great difficulty in getting the land ploughed. There has been strong feelings and grave differences regarding these works during the year, and this has made the position of your Surveyor a most difficult one. I sincerely hope you will agree upon some definite scheme *got out by a thoroughly qualified Engineer*, when the present complaints and grave nuisances would, I think, terminate. I am sure each Councillor will agree this is not the work of a Surveyor in receipt of £35 per annum, with multitudinous other duties.

AMBERGATE OUTFALL.—The best attention has been given to this Outfall, but regard should be had to the fact of some 60 new houses, each with W.C. and Bath, recently erected, and building still going on. The beds are taxed considerably, and I consider some extension is called for.

GREEN MAN AREA.—A small Outfall Works has at last been completed and each house in that area connected up. Those who were conversant with the previous state of things, and the numerous pools of stagnant Sewage near residences, cannot do other than appreciate and acknowledge the improvement.

I earnestly appeal to you to come to arrangements with the Owner of adjoining land for the carrying away of the Effluent as it passes from the Filter Bed.

DRAINAGE & SEWAGE.

The following areas should receive your early attention—Old Road, Ripley Road, Slack Lane, Saw Mills and Ridgeway. In some of these areas slops are being emptied on the side of the highway and a nuisance created daily. A New Main with Manholes has been completed in Church Street, Heage. The Main on the Derby and Matlock Road is not satisfactory at the North end.

SCAVENGING.

The Scavenging of the area is done by our own Workmen and Team, except Nether Heage: this is let by Contract at £52 per annum, our men emptying PAIL CLOSETS. It is a pleasure to report progress in this department. The large number of accumulations which were formerly to be found in open dumping holes and on side of the highway has ceased to be, by approximately 90 % of occupiers having adopted the DUST BIN SYSTEM I have made many appeals by notices and otherwise, and shall not cease until each occupier has his or her Sanitary Dust Bin. Two Men with Team are occupied fully 4 days per week in emptying these bins. A Ton Lorry would be of great advantage in the outlying areas, our Tips being very wide apart. Pail contents is carted to Farmers, mixed, and ploughed in.

HOUSING.

What houses we have had, and are being erected, is by private enterprise. There is still a great shortage: in consequence two and three families reside in one house, and overcrowding to some extent exists. The Ambergate part of the district is growing rapidly.

DAIRIES, COWSHEDS & MILKSHOPS.

There are 27 on the Register; 1 New Shed has been built during the year.

CLOSET ACCOMMODATION.

The approximate number of Privy Middens is 109; Pail Closets, 449; Water Closets, 258; Slop Water Closets, 8. The conversion of Privy Middens into Pails has recently been slow owing to the fact that the M.O. of Health, with myself, are wherever possible, calling for the adoption of the Water Carriage System. I am pleased to report that owners are now more ready to give our recommendations favourable consideration, and at the moment Pails and Privies are being converted into W.C.'s, but these will appear in next report. The Council have not assisted any case financially. This I trust will be done, and areas taken where the Sewer is in. All newly-erected houses are with W.C.'s wherever possible.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Yours obediently,

A. J. FORTNAM,

Sanitary Inspector.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SANITARY INSPECTOR.

Name of Inspector—A. J. FORTNAM, M.S.I.A.

Area of District—2,367. Estimated No. of Houses—853.

New Houses erected 1925—(*a*) Under Housing Scheme—0.
(*b*) By Private enterprise—13.

Housing and Town Planning—

No. of Houses Inspected under Section 17	10
No. Unfit for Habitation	2
Representations made to Local Authority as to Closing Orders ...	2
Closing Orders Made	2
Number Repaired without Closing Order or Notice served ...	4
Number Closed	2 (includes one wood carriage)
Number Demolished	0
Number Repaired Voluntarily	15

Has a scheme been prepared ? No.
Number of Houses proposed in scheme—None.
Is the scheme in progress ? No
Number of Houses yet to be completed or erected No Scheme.

	Number of Informal Notices served by Sanitary Inspector.	Number of Legal Notices served by Local Authority.	Number of Nuisances Abated with or without Notice.
Drainage—			
No Disconnection of Waste Pipe ...	1 ...	1 ...	1
Defective Waste Pipe, Traps, Inlets and Drains ...	16 ...	4 ...	10
Drains Obstructed ...	1 ...	0 ...	10
Closets and Ashpits—			
Defective Privies, Pail Closets & Ashpits (Not for Conversion) ...	10 ...	5 ...	12
Conversion of Privies into W.C.'s ...	8 ...	4 ...	12
Conversion of Pail Closets into W.C.'s ...	5 ...	2 ...	4
Conversion of Privies into Pail Closets ...	1 ...	0 ...	1
Defective Water Closets ...	2 ...	0 ...	2
Provision of Additional Water Closets—For the year, Total W.C.'s 28.			
Provision of Portable Ashbins ...	4 ...	2 ...	30
Dirty Closets ...	0 ...	0 ...	0
Other Defects—			
Paving of Courts and Yards ...	3 ...	0 ...	1
Roofs, Eaves-Spouts and Down-Spouts ...	4 ...	3 ...	5
Sinks	4 ...	2 ...	4
Insufficient Ventilation	2 ...	1 ...	1
Windows	2 ...	1 ...	1
Dampness	1 ...	0 ...	1
Water in Cellars	2 ...	0 ...	2
Water Supply	5 ...	2 ...	3
Overcrowding	2 ...	2 ...	2
Foul Condition of Houses ..	0 ...	0 ...	0
Offensive Accumulations	5 ...	1 ...	12
Animals improperly kept... ...	1 ...	0 ..	1
Pigsties	0 ...	0 ...	6
Smoke Nuisances	0 ...	0 ...	0
Urinals	0 ...	0 ...	0
Nuisances not specified above ...	1 ...	0 ...	1
Totals ...	80	30	116

	Number on Register.	Inspections Made.	Notices Served.	Nuisances Abated with or without Notice.
Dairies, Cowsheds & Milkshops	27	34	3	2 (One New Shed)
Bakehouses ...	2	5	0	0
Slaughterhouses	5	63	3	3
Offensive Trades	0	0	0	0
Common Lodging-houses	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	102	6	5

Infected Rooms Disinfected. Number—19. Method—Formalin Spray & Izal

Samples submitted for Examination. Water—2. Milk—0.

Sewage Effluents by C.C.

Prosecutions, Particulars of—None.

Food Seizures—Nil.

Food Voluntarily Surrendered—Nil.

Other Action taken—All Shops where Food sold inspected frequently.

Signed,

A. J. FORTNAM.